

Chambers of Senior Judge William C. O'Kelley
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William C. O'Kelley
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1930
Education: Emory 1951 AB, 1953 LLB
Began Service: October 23, 1970
Appointed By: President Richard M. Nixon
Political Affiliation: Republican.

Affiliation: Senior Judge (R), Chambers of Senior Judge William C. O'Kelley, Alien Terrorist Removal Court

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Georgia, United States Department of Justice (1959-1961); Special Hearing Officer, United States Department of Justice (1962-1968)

Judicial: Judge, United States Foreign Intelligence Surveillance Court (1980-1987)

Legal Practice: Partner, O'Kelley, Hopkins & Van Gerpen (1961-1970); General Counsel, Georgia Republican Party (1968-1970)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1953-1957); United States Air Force Reserve (1957-1966)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Atlanta Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Gainesville Northeastern Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Atlanta, Inc.; Old War Horse Lawyers' Club; State Bar of Georgia

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Marvin H. Shoob
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1923
Education: Georgia 1948 JD
Began Service: 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Legal Practice: Associate, Andrews & Nall (1948-1949); Partner, Brown & Shoob (1949-1955); Partner, Phillips, Johnson & Shoob (1955-1956); Senior Partner, Shoob, McLain & Merritt (1956-1979)

Military Service: United States Army (1943-1945)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; The American Law Institute; Atlanta Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Atlanta, Inc.; State Bar of Georgia

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Robert L. Vining, Jr.
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1931
Education: Georgia 1959 BA, 1959 JD
Began Service: August 17, 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Government: District Attorney, State of Georgia (1958-1969); Solicitor General, Conasauga Judicial Circuit, State of Georgia (1963-1968)

Judicial: Judge, Georgia Superior Court, Conasauga Judicial Circuit (1969-1979)

Legal Practice: Mitchell & Mitchell (1958-1960); Partner, McCamy, Minor & Vining (1960-1969)

Military Service: United States Air Force (1951-1959)

Staff

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G. Ernest Tidwell
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1931
Education: Emory 1954 LLB
Began Service: 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter

Government: Executive Assistant Attorney General, Office of the Attorney General, United States Department of Justice (1966-1968)

Judicial: Judge, Georgia Civil Court, Fulton County (1968-1971); Judge, Georgia Superior Court, Fulton County (1971-1979)

Legal Practice: John J. Westmoreland Law Office (1954-1958); Partner, Slaton, Brookins, Robertson & Tidwell (1958-1966)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; American Judicature Society; Atlanta Bar Association; State Bar of Georgia

Staff

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Horace T. Ward
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1927
Education: Morehouse Col 1949 AB; Atlanta 1950 AM;
Northwestern 1959 JD
Began Service: 1979
Appointed By: President Jimmy Carter
Political Affiliation: Democrat

Academic: Instructor, Arkansas A M & N College (1950-1951); Instructor, Alabama State College (1951-1956); Lecturer, Business Law, Atlanta University (1961-1965)

Government: Claims Authorizer, Social Security Administration (1959-1960); State Senator Horace T. Ward (D-GA), Georgia State Senate (1965-1974); Deputy City Attorney, City of Atlanta, Georgia (1969-1970); Assistant County Attorney, Office of the County Attorney, County of Fulton, Georgia (1971-1974)

Judicial: Judge, Georgia State Court, Fulton County (1974-1977); Judge, Georgia Superior Court (1977-1979)

Legal Practice: Partner, Hollowell, Ward, Moore & Alexander (1960-1971); Private Practice (1971-1974)

Military Service: United States Army (1953-1955)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Atlanta Bar Association; Gate City Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Atlanta, Inc.; National Bar Association; State Bar of Georgia

Staff

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J. Owen Forrester
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1939
Education: Georgia Tech 1961 BS; Emory 1966 LLB
Began Service: 1981
Appointed By: President Ronald Reagan

Government: Assistant United States Attorney, Northern District of Georgia, United States Department of Justice (1969-1976)

Judicial: Magistrate Judge, United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia (1976-1981); Member, Judicial Conference of the United States

Legal Practice: Associate, Fisher & Phillips LLP (1967-1969)

Staff

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Willis B. Hunt, Jr.
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1932
Education: Emory 1954 LLB; Virginia 1990 LLM
Began Service: July 1, 1995
Appointed By: President William J. Clinton

Government: Associate, Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice (1957-1959)

Judicial: Judge, Georgia Superior Court, Houston County (1971-1986); Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia (1986-1994); Chief Justice, Supreme Court of Georgia (1994-1995)

Legal Practice: Shoob & McLain (1960-1966); Nunn, Geiger & Hunt (1967-1971)

Military Service: United States Army (1955-1957)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; The Joseph Henry Lumpkin American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The Lamar American Inn of Court, The American Inns of Court; The American Law Institute; State Bar of Georgia

Staff

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Clarence Cooper
Senior Judge

Date of Birth: 1942
Education: Clark Col 1964 BA; Emory 1967 JD; Harvard 1978 MA
Began Service: February 6, 2009

Government: Assistant District Attorney, Office of the District Attorney, State of Georgia (1968-1975)

Judicial: Judge, Atlanta Municipal Court (1975-1980); Judge, Georgia Superior Court, Fulton County (1980-1990); Judge, Georgia Court of Appeals (1990-1993); District Judge, Chambers of District Judge Clarence Cooper, United States District Court for the Northern District of Georgia (1994-2009)

Legal Practice: Atlanta Legal Aid Society (1967-1968)

Military Service: United States Army (1968-1970)

Current Memberships: American Bar Association; Atlanta Bar Association; Federal Bar Association; Gate City Bar Association; Lawyers Club of Atlanta, Inc.; National Bar Association; Old War Horse Lawyers' Club; State Bar of Georgia

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